

Executors' Sale!

of Morrison Lackland's Estate

At the Morrison Lackland farm, 2 1-2 miles south of Mexico,

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1914

9 Head of Horses: 4 brood mares, 2 in foal, 1 8-year-old, 1 10 year old, 1 11 year old, 1 aged brood mare; 3 coming 2 year old fillies; 1 work horse, 6-year-old; 1 coming yearling horse colt.

6 Mules: 2 coming yearling mule colts; 4 coming 2 year old colts, 118 Cattle: 104 head 2 year old steers; 15 head coming yearling calves; 1 cow, good milkier, will calve.

89 Hogs: 26 head of fat hogs; 49 shoats, weighing from 50 to 150 pounds; 2 sows with 11 pigs; 1 boar.

Feed: 855 bu. good old corn, 400 bu. good oats, 5 tons timothy hay, 6 tons of oat straw, 2 tons of wheat straw.

5 wagons, 2 good as new, 1 new corn planter, 1 new disc cultivator, 1 new road wagon, 1 gasoline engine, 2 1-2 H. P. Lot of harness and other implements too numerous to mention. A lot of cedar posts.

75 Cords of Wood 75

TERMS:—6 months time, bankable note, 8 per cent. All sums \$10 and under cash.

The grass land will be for rent, or leased the day of sale. Cois. J. T. Johnson and J. G. Ford, Auctioneers. W. W. Pollock, Clerk. The Methodist ladies will serve lunch. Sale starts 10 o'clock.

St. Louis Union Trust Co.

E. L. TAYLOR, Executor.

MOLINO NEWS.

Only Store House in Town Goes up in Smoke.

Molino, Mo., March 24.—We had quite an excitement in our village between ten and eleven o'clock Sunday morning when Heizer's general merchandise store burned to the ground, causing a loss of about \$5,000. Mr. Heizer had \$3,000 insurance. Pate Cauthorn owned the building and had an insurance of \$1,000. Mr. Heizer and wife were in Mexico and knew nothing of the fire until telephoned to, and they have no idea how the fire originated as there had been no fire since Saturday night. The fire had such a headway when discovered that nothing could be saved but 1,500 pounds of flour and a few sacks of feed that was in the warehouse, separate from the main buildings. Most of the accounts were saved as Mr. Heizer uses the McKaskey system and the duplicates were at the dwelling. The bank was damaged by the fire, the door and window facing being burned and the large plate glass window was broken by the heat. Dr. Flynt's drug store and postoffice building also had a narrow escape, but the men formed a bucket brigade and with wet blankets saved the building. It is quite a loss to the people here as well as Mr. Heizer. He has not fully decided what he will do, but we hope he will continue in business as we need a store badly at this place.

Mrs. Chas. Browning and two little daughters are home from a two weeks' visit at Slater.

Mrs. John Cowherd of Mexico was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Porter Cauthorn, several days.

J. E. Berry and wife of Gant pent Monday night with R. L. Heizer and family.

Two of Dode Barnes' children have been sick for several days. Mrs. John Woods of Mexico has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dode Barnes, several days recently.

H. L. Weaver spent Monday and Monday night in Mexico, visiting his Bro., Billy Weaver, who is very ill.

Bob Heizer and wife visited in Santa Fe Monday night.

Mrs. Herman Worley and children are visiting in Callaway county.

Mrs. Ada Shepherd and Miss Cordie Mundy of Mexico have been visiting relatives here recently.

CUIVRE ITEMS.

The Cemetery Association has a man cleaning up the cemetery this week.

Master Willie Dishman who has been sick for the past three weeks was operated on for appendicitis last Friday. He stood the ordeal fine. The operation was done at his father's home. We hope he may soon be able to dismiss his nurse who has been so faithful to him.

Mrs. Albert Brace and family visited at James Everly's last Sunday, as they had a family reunion on that day. Mr. Everly's mother from Iowa came Saturday and will visit indefinitely.

Several of the farmers in this community are sowing oats and grass seed this week.

E. S. Johnston is having a new garage built for his new automobile. We wish for him and his family many joy rides.

W. W. Cornett is having a new hen house built for his nice lot of Rose Comb Leghorn chickens. They have sold 300 dozen eggs since January 6th.

Sunday school will commence at West Cuivre Baptist church the first Sunday in April. All are invited to attend.

Who tells the biggest fish story. Mr. Parker or Mr. F. S. Johnston?

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Knipe spent the day at Jim Everly's last Sunday.

MRS. MILLER DEAD.

Was Resident of the County Since 1865.

Mrs. Belle Miller, 70 years old, after a long illness, died last Thursday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Kerr near Molino. She was a woman highly beloved and her death cast a gloom over the community. The funeral was held at South Fork church conducted by Revs. H. B. Barks and John Kerr.

Mrs. Miller was a native of Clark county, Ky., and came to Andrain county with her parents in 1865. She was married twice. Her first husband was Jeff Bridgford, who died in 1874. To this union two children were born, both living, Wallace Bridgford and Mrs. R. B. Kerr. About 30 years since she was married to Isaac Miller, who died 15 years ago. Two children survive this union, Mrs. W. J. Botts and Wash Miller, both of Mexico. The following brothers and sisters survive deceased: W. H. Wallace and Mrs. A. D. Bledsoe, of Mexico; John Wallace, of Santa Anna, Cal.; James Wallace, Paris, Mo.; and Mrs. John Harp, of Olathe, Kan.

MULES, MARES, AND FENCE-POSTS FOR SALE.

Being over-supplied with work stock and too busy on my farm to hunt a buyer, I will sell next Saturday, March 28th, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the Southeast corner of the Public Square, Mexico, Mo., seven head of big, strong, large boned work mules, one pair nine years old, the other five three years old; also a pair of blocky 4 year old fillies, good ones. All this stock is sound, and broke gentle, except a pair of the young mules. Above will be sold at auction and you make the price. Will take a good note for 9 months if desired. Have on my farm over 2,000 white oak posts, some gate posts and corner posts for sale. Fence-posts 10c each. H. P. WARDEN.

HIGH HILL DISTRICT.

Spring is coming slowly. Last week the farmers thought they would be sowing oats soon, but the snow came and no one has sowed any yet around here.

C. E. Sellers delivered a load of hogs at Centralia Thursday.

With sadness we chronicle the death of Judge Martin Flynt. He died at 8:30 Tuesday morning. A good man is gone. He was a good neighbor, a thorough Christian gentleman and an honored Mason. The whole community is saddened by his death.

Mrs. L. L. Spencer attended the funeral of Lem Evans in Centralia last Monday.

J. H. Turner was in Centralia last week taking treatment for stomach trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sims' children are better of whooping cough, we are glad to state.

L. L. Spencer bought a span of gray horses recently.

John Botkin and wife visited at J. H. Turner's lately.

W. T. Puls and family, Elmer Shock and family, Sam Musie and family, Walter Barnes and family visited at W. D. Barnes' Sunday, a week ago.

L. L. Spencer visited at Geo. Freeman's Sunday.

Our school closed Friday. A few of the patrons attended. Superintendent Johnson was there and gave a talk.

Braxey Boyd of near Centralia, brother of Mrs. Elmer Shock, visited the latter last week and took the mumps while there.

J. O. Sims went to Centralia Monday for feed. He reports the roads awfully bad.

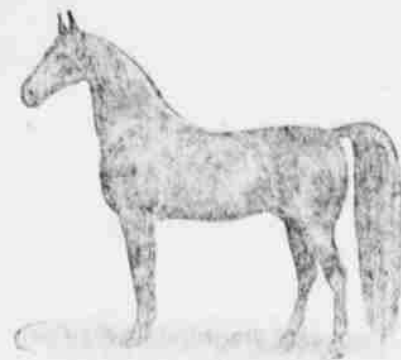
Jessie Campbell and wife visited J. W. Roberts Sunday and helped him eat cake, it being his 49th birthday.

Mrs. R. S. McClintie, southeast of Laddonia, died last Sunday in the State Hospital at Fulton. The burial was at Laddonia. The husband and four children survive.

Missouri Saddle Horses at Auction

Mexico, Mo., April 2, 3, 4, 1914

200 Ready-to-Use Saddle and Harness Horses



Farm Mares at Auction

Lee Bros. have consigned a car load of high-grade Iowa farm mares that will be sold, in pairs. SATURDAY, APRIL 4. These mares will sell with this well-known firm's guarantee behind them—not as represented, your money back. Farmers should not miss this chance to buy a farm team at their own price.

Including such noted show horses as The Gingerbread Man, Forest Ike, Jack Bloomfield, Capt. Jenks, Nat Goodwin, Artist, Jr., and others of reputation as well as a goodly number of young show prospects. This sale will also include a great number of medium-classed horses suitable for business and pleasure use that will sell at prices to suit the desires of all horse-lovers.

Illustrated catalogue now ready; sent only upon request

MISSOURI SPECIAL SALES COMPANY

Rufus Jackson, Secretary, Mexico, Mo.

THOMPSON ITEMS.

Thompson, Mo., March 24.—E. M. Morris bought a good span of mules at J. B. Woolery's stock sale.

This community was saddened to hear of William Rouch's death. He resided in this neighborhood for a number of years. He was well liked by all who knew him. His funeral was preached at Hopewell church Tuesday at 2 p. m., after which the remains were taken charge of by the Odd Fellows of Mexico lodge of which he was a member and laid at rest in the Thompson cemetery.

Bro. N. H. Trimble of Columbia will preach at Salt River the fifth Sunday. Everybody come out to hear him.

Born, to the wife of Ross Gant, a bouncing boy. They christened it John Henry in honor of both of its grandparents.

Mrs. Nellie McKeenan has resumed her school at Hurdle after a six weeks' vacation on account of the whooping cough and small-pox scare.

Mrs. Jesse Hoover lost her driving mare by sickness last week.

Miss Mary Alice Dempsey is entertaining her cousins, Misses Grace and Eugenia Smith, of near Centralia, this week.

Roth Day and wife entertained the young folks Monday night with a play party.

Mrs. Will Riggs is on the sick list.

J. B. Nevins, Noah Neff and Hub Ferguson are shearing sheep or Joe Considine this week.

Judges Selected.

The City Council has appointed the following persons to serve as judges at the election April 7: First Ward—Democrats, George A. Lewis, George A. Brock, J. T. Crews; Republicans, W. T. Keath, August Weber, T. J. Gibson.

Second Ward—Democrats, J. L. Willis, Wat Nicholls, J. W. Atchison; Republicans, William J. J. W. Squires, R. H. Keran.

Third Ward—Democrats, M. L. Jones, M. H. Heizer, W. C. Wallace; Republicans, A. L. Jenkins, L. J. Farrah, John X. Brown.

Fourth Ward—Democrats, W. L. Paul, W. E. West, M. H. Kemp; Republicans, J. C. Head, R. T. Stevenson, D. M. Roberts. Fay Branstetter is critically ill.

Tom Baskett, late of St. Louis, formerly of Mexico, has been made secretary of a Stenotype Co. with headquarters at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fields of Moberly attended the funeral of Mrs. Ralph Fields here last week.

Arthur Stanford changes his address for the Message from Ardesia, N. M., to Rush Hill, Mo. He married a daughter of Mr. A. B. Smock of Rush Hill.

Hardware :- Hardware

Having purchased the J. W. Dry hardware stock and now in possession of it, I invite the public to call and see me. I find the room occupied by Mr. Dry packed with goods; many lines cannot be displayed. In order to make room for the goods coming in for the spring business and to display those now on hand, I am going to offer the following inducements.

10% Discount on all Cook Stoves and Ranges

20% on all Other Goods

I want it distinctly understood that the above applies to CASH SALES only. No goods sold on credit will be discounted. Now is the time to buy hardware, tinware, granite-ware, garden tools, single trees, tinware, granite-ware, garden tools, single trees, double trees, neck yokes, harness, collars, trace chains, sweat pads, screen wire, poultry wire, etc., etc.

This sale will begin

March 20th and Last Thirty Days

I am anxious to get acquainted with you. Come early and take advantage of this liberal offer. Store will be open each evening until 8:30.

E. E. CANTRELL

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Having sold my hardware stock to Mr. E. E. Cantrell, I am going to sell my implements to you, Mr. Farmer. If there is anything you need in the implement line, I am ready to sell you and ready to make a price that will appeal to you.

1 Captain Kidd Disc Cultivator, new \$25. Brown Disc Cultivators, no better made. Good Enough Sulky Plows. Best-Ever Sulky and Gangs. Steel Beam Walking Plows. Peg-tooth Harrows. End Gate Seeders. One Low Down Broad Cast Seeder left. Your price is mine. Buy it.

We never had a better business on disc harrows. Buy the Osborne, Black Hawk and Flying Dutchman Corn Planters, the best money can buy. Don't wait until they are all sold. Columbus, Mandt and Buckeye Wagons. Prices of wagons are soaring, you can own one right if you come to me.

Peerless Fence

I am in a position to sell you any style and any quantity of woven wire that you need. Call and get prices. At the old stand.

J. W. DRY